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OIL and GAS NEWS

E. H. Royer and P. H. Lively, who have charge of the Dundee drilling near Madill in Marshall County, were in the city on business yesterday.

James Lamb has returned from Wichita Falls. He came through in his car and was accompanied by his

daughters, Misses Mary and Virginia Lamb, and their Wichita Falls guest, Miss Lorena Glenn.

Les Kearney has returned from Sulphur where he and Mrs. Kearney have been spending a few days. Mrs. Kearney remained there and Mr. Kearney will return and stay a while longer at that popular resort.

Here Attending Court.

James Matthews of the Republic Supply Company is here from Wirt. The Republic store was entered a few nights ago and some automobile supplies were taken. Arrests have been made and Mr. Matthews is here attending court in the case.

Gone to West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cole and their little daughter Virginia have gone to their old home in West Virginia on a visit of several weeks. Mr. Cole is manager of the Republic Supply Company in the southern fields.

Here From Muskogee.

L. G. Disney, one of the best known lawyers of the state, is here from Muskogee spending a few days with G. W. Strawn. Mr. Disney has some holdings at Healdton that are not very far from production, and he is interested in Healdton development.

Building Steel Tanks.

Westheimer & Daube, whose assets have been increased largely by the southeast extension, have ordered two steel tanks of 55,000 barrel capacity each. The tanks will be built on fee lands in section 26-4-3. Farley Richmond has the contract to make the grades.

Gas Production Increasing.
The Lewinda-Franklin gas well in 29-2-3 in the Fox district, was drilled a little deeper yesterday and with each stroke of the drill the gas production has increased. Those who saw the well yesterday stated that it was an enormous gasser. The formations consist of sand interspersed with a series of shells. Each time a

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shell is drilled through the rocks are thrown from the well and the gas production becomes a little heavier. The work of lubricating the well was to have been begun today.

On Famous Anticline.

Gypsy Oil Company in 13-2-4 has reached a depth of 1985 feet.

Activity Near Orr.

Lamb & Walker will have the rig in 6s 3w for the Interstate Petroleum completed today or tomorrow. It is not known whether the drilling contract has been awarded yet or not, but the presumption is that the well near Orr will be started now within a few days.

A Drilling Campaign.

Westheimer & Daube have three offsets to be drilled within a short time in the southeast extension. Two of these wells will offset the Producers Oil Company in the southwest corner of 13-4-3, and one will offset Gunsburg & Forman, which is drilling north of the Westheimer & Daube tract in sections 11. P. H. Lively will have charge of the drilling operations.

Spectator Owners Here.

E. A. Bender, a bank president of Edmond, and L. W. Marks of the same city, arrived here this morning and left at once for the Spectator well near Lone Grove. Favorable reports have been coming from this well for several days, and the owners are encouraged.

A Big Gas Well.

Hamon-Colcord No. 11 Coffey A, near the center of section 15-4-3, is on top of the Simpson sand, and is making 25,000,000 feet of gas and spraying 200 barrels of oil. The gas pressure is so great it cannot be drilled in and the well is being mudded in after the government process. It will be several days before it can be drilled into the oil sand.

Starting Two Wells.

T. F. Maloney is rigging up today to drill a well for Apple-Franklin-Galt-Johnson on the Ruby Ingram lease. This lease covers ten acres located in the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of 15-4-3. The new location which will be drilled by Maloney is in the southwest corner of the lease. The same contractor will drill for Hamon & Colcord off setting the Ruby Ingram well on the west. Both wells will be drilled with Star machines and both will drill at the same time.

Drilling in Today.

Hamon-Colcord No. 1 on the Coffey A lease in section 15-4-3 located a quarter of a mile west of the center of the section, reached the pay sand at 1245 feet. With the drill two feet in the sand the well is spraying 400 barrels a day. The well is being drilled in today. It is showing for the best well in the entire section. This was the original big gasser that was drilled by this company, and Ringling and Ardmore both used the gas from the upper sands.

Will Soon Be Drilling.

McMan Savoy Oil Companies in 20-2-3 pulled the casing, recovered the lost joints and are now running the casing back in the hole. The depth is about 1800 feet.

Slow Progress.

Gypsy Oil Company in 28-2-3 has reached a depth of 1585 feet. No drilling has been done here for several days but operations are about ready to be resumed.

In Woods County.

The Northwestern Petroleum Company in which several Ardmore people are interested, will be ready to start drilling operations now within a short time. This company's holdings are in Woods County in the northwest corner of the state. R. B. Scott of this city, will visit the holdings within a short time to observe what progress has been made.

A New Location.

Sass & Potter have made an interesting location in the southeast extension to Healdton. The reading of the location is as follows: SW SE NE SE of 24-4-3. H. P. Nichols has been awarded the drilling contract, and material is being hauled to the

Activity Near Robb.

T. F. Maloney was in the city last night. Besides being busy in the Healdton field he is drilling a well in the southwest corner of Pontotoc County, three miles southwest of Robb. He is now building a standard rig and will have a rotary and a stand, and combined. The casing is on the ground and within thirty days he will be ready to begin drilling. Shallow oil and gas have been found in that locality and it looks very much like oil territory. Paul Smith of Fort Worth, is associated with him in the drilling.

In Murray County.

Col. W. J. Scott, who drilled a well in Murray County near Drake, to a

depth of 2348 feet, is an Ardmore visitor. This well had a sand at 1805 feet and a second sand was found above the 2200 foot level. The last sand was 165 feet thick but it made only about five barrels of oil. Col. Scott says that he will start another well soon in section 24-26-26. The well already drilled was in section 4-28-36.

World's Production of Petroleum.

The world's production of crude petroleum in 1915—429,892,673 barrels—was the greatest in the history of the industry.

Figures published by the Geological Survey show that the output was greater by 28,194,307 barrels than the previous record in 1911.

The bulk of the increase in output in 1915 came from the United States and Mexico, though Russia, Argentina and Japan recorded significant gains.

The United States led in production with 281,104,104 barrels; Russia came second with 68,548,062 barrels, and Mexico third with 32,910,508 barrels.

Food Crops Smaller.

The crop outlook is causing some concern, especially in the West, and reductions in estimated yields are looked for. Good premiums are already being paid for cash wheat, but the agricultural interest as a whole seems likely to end the year with very comfortable net returns. While the principal food crops show a falling off, a fair surplus of grains has been carried over from the phenomenal yield of last year, and, as a rule, higher prices are more than compensating for the reduced volume of the harvesters. The demand for freight space is already beginning to show signs of taxing transportation facilities.—Dun's Review.

Red Cross—Goodness Yes.

Red Cross Ball Blue, yes. Nothing else will do. Red Cross Ball Blue makes my clothes a beautiful clear white, not the dingy yellow green tinge of liquid blue. Red Cross Ball Blue for me. Yes, sir-ee, Bob.—Adv.

German Trouble-Maker Departed.

Yokohama, Japan, Sept. 12.—Hermann Wohlers, a German, has been deported from Japan for conduct alleged by the Japanese government to be inimical to the interests of the empire and its allies. According to the Japanese press, Wohlers has been trying to cause misunderstandings between Japan, Great Britain and the United States, one of his methods being the writing of disquieting letters to the government at Washington. It is also charged that he was responsible for the recent court-martialing of a young American marine. He is alleged to have induced the marine to tear down the British and Japanese flags which were entwined with the American flag on the occasion of the last Fourth of July celebration at Yokohama. The sailor was sent to Shanghai for court-martial.

How to Give Good Advice.

The best way to give good advice is to set a good example. When others see how quickly you get over your cold by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they are likely to follow your example. This remedy has been in use for many years and enjoys an excellent reputation. Obtainable everywhere.

THE COCK CROWED THRICE.

Visitor From Kansas City Heard Chickens Brought in for Fair.

A. B. Richards, of Kansas City, Mackey Telegraph superintendent, is in the city inspecting the new Mackey office. He says Ardmore has more chickens than any town of its size in the state. He knows, for he counted 743 crowing roosters at midnight last night. Mr. Richards reports business "huge." Prosperity sits in the lap of every man of worth today. Never before in the history of the telegraph has business been so heavy, and the telegraph is always a good barometer of business conditions in any locality. Ardmore is certainly going some. It is the best town of its size in the state.

Bad Colds from Little Sneezes Grow

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Germans Cut Down Belgium Forests.

Paris, Sept. 12.—Many of the fine old trees of Belgium are being cut down for use in the German trenches. The famous Bois de la Cambre, near Brussels, is said to have lost 10,000 of its trees, and lesser parks and woods are yielding their proportion.

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ORDINANCE NO. 28.

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING TRAFFIC WITHIN THE CITY TO AND FROM THE CARTER COUNTY FREE FAIR GROUND AND FIXING FARES TO BE CHARGED, PROVIDING A PENALTY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Ardmore, Okla.:

1.—That no chauffeur or driver, having a license from the City of Ardmore, nor the owner of any licensed auto or other vehicle shall charge as fare to and from the Carter County Free Fair Ground, any sum exceeding fifteen cents (15c) for each passenger one way or twenty-five cents (25c) for the round trip. These rates shall apply from all points within the fire limits of the City of Ardmore, Oklahoma.

2.—The rates herein prescribed shall be in force for the three days of said fair only.

3.—Any one violating the provisions of this ordinance shall forfeit his license and in addition thereto shall be fined not to exceed Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for each offense.

4.—All ordinances of parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

5.—For the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared by which this ordinance shall take effect immediately after its passage and approval.

JOE M. LONDON,
Acting Mayor.

Attest:
G. H. BRUCE,
(Seal) City Clerk.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The Carter County Free Fair will be held in our City, September 14, 15, and 16 inst., and

WHEREAS, It is deemed proper that we show our appreciation of, and encouragement to this enterprise by a proper observance and attendance of the same, so far as possible.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Joe M. London, Acting Mayor of the City of Ardmore, do proclaim the afternoon of Friday, September 15, 1916, a half holiday, and request that all city offices be closed and city employees, except as may be required for public

safety, cease from their labors and attend the fair.

It is further requested that all business houses be closed and business suspended during said time.

JOE M. LONDON,
Acting Mayor.

Attest:
G. H. BRUCE,
(Seal) City Clerk.

Visitors to Love County Fair.
Twenty-three Ardmore boosters attended the Love county fair yesterday and come back reporting splendid exhibits at Marietta. They had a great time. Colonel Suggs was spokesman of the party and made a great speech commending them for their splendid work and urging them to get busy on the roads of their county. He pointed out what an advantage it would be to them to have a bridge across the river and told them Carter county would do its part. He invited them to Ardmore to see our fair and many are coming on Friday.

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